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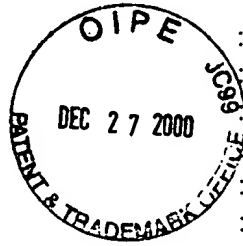
In re Application of

JAKOB NIELSEN

Serial No.: 08/865,962

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For: LATENCY-REDUCING BANDWIDTH-PRIORITIZATION FOR NETWORK
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the documents listed on the attached form PTO-1449. It is respectfully requested that the documents be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the documents be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

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Each English language reference was cited in a corresponding foreign application search report or office action and its relevance discussed therein. A copy of the foreign search report or office action is attached for the Examiner's information.

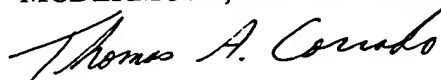
The following references cited in the attached Search Report have been previously made of record in this application in our IDS filed on June 4, 1999, and therefore they are not listed on the attached PTO-1449 and copies are not being submitted:

U.S. Patent No. 5,414,697
European Patent Application No. 0 632 671
UK Patent Application No. 2 301 260

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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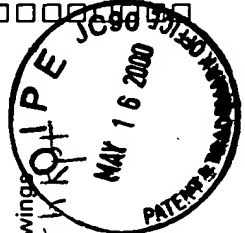
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